GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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UPGRADATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRES
Kodikunnil Shri Suresh

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received project proposals from the State of Kerala regarding upgradation and construction of Community Health Centres (CHC), Hospitals under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM);

(b) if so, the details thereof, CHC-wise, hospital-wise;

(c) the total funds granted/released by the State Government of Kerala for the above projects; and

(d) the action taken by the Government on these proposals?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE EN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY)

(a): Yes.

(b): The Government has received project proposals from the Government of Kerala regarding up-gradation and construction of Community Health Centres (CHC), and Hospitals through their State Programme Implementation Plan (PIP) under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) for 2012-13.The CHC-wise, hospital wise list of proposals received in the PIP is annexed. Other than this, the Ministry also received an additional project proposal after the PIP of the State for 2012-13 had already been approved for upgradation of Taluq hospital Chenganoor, Taluq Hospital Kayamkulam, CHC Chunakkara and CHC Arookutty of Alapuzha District.

(c) The Government has released an amount of Rs. 73.65 crores as first instalment to the Government of Kerala under NRHM for implementation of the approved PIP for 2012-13. The Government of Kerala has not released any funds so far for the above mentioned projects.

(d): Details of action taken by the Government on the proposals in the PIP for 2012-13 is enclosed as Annexure. The project proposal for upgradation of Taluq hospital Chenganoor, Taluq hospital Kayamkulam, CHC Chunakkara and CHC Arookutty in Alappuzha district was received after the PIP of the State for 2012-13 had already been approved. Approvals are given keeping in view the availability of resource envelope. In the case of Kerala, against a resource envelope of Rs. 506.42 Crores, approvals of Rs. 563.28 Crores has already been given.